

# POLICE CHIEF IS KILLED BY THIEF ON WAY TO JAIL

Then, Pursued Through Swamps by Mob Bent on Lynching, Slayer Shoots Himself When Capture Is Inevitable.

George Cassidy, Chief of Police of Lyndhurst, N. J., was shot to death by one of two burglars he had captured to-day, and later the murderer, finding that he could not escape a mob that was following him to put him to death, sent a bullet through his own brain.

A large posse is now following the other man, and if he is captured the police and deputy sheriffs will have their hands full to save him from being lynched.

Cassidy got off duty at 5 o'clock this morning and started for his home in Valley Brook avenue. Passing the grocery store of Mrs. Margaret N. Holden, near his own residence, he saw two Italians steal out of the rear of the grocery and make for the street.

"You are both under arrest," said Cassidy pointing his weapon at the men.

The men surrendered at once. Both said they had done no harm and that the bundles they carried were their own property.

With the men walking in front of him Cassidy started for the police station. Passing the house of Asa Orcott, an employee of the D. L. & W. Railroad, the men were pleading not to be arrested.

"You can explain that to the court," Orcott heard the chief tell the prisoners.

Fired as He Flew. Orcott saw one of the men wheel about suddenly, and, whipping a revolver from his pocket, send a bullet through Cassidy's heart. The policeman fell, dying in his tracks.

Orcott ran to the street, his own revolver in hand, yelling for help. The two Italians separated. One of them—the man who had done the shooting—made for the Avondale bridge, across the Passaic river. Orcott fired at him several times, and the man would stop now and then and fire back. The bullet went wild, and the man kept on his way. Turning at the bridge, the burglar dashed down toward the swamps at the river's edge. He sank in the water and aime almost to his armpits.

On came Orcott close behind, and further down the road could be heard a number of other men. The man kept on his way, and the shooting was so loud that he continued to point his revolver at Orcott. He freed himself from the swamp, and took to his heels again, only to again fall into mud and water.

"Now I'm going to kill you," cried Orcott, and he pointed his revolver at the man. Before he could shoot, however, the man sent his last bullet through his own head and fell unconscious.

Died Before Rope Arrived. As Orcott flashed the burglar from the swamp the crowd came up. The Italian was still living, and it was determined to hang him to the bridge. He was carried there and a man went for a rope. Before the rope arrived the burglar was dead.

Then the chase began for the second burglar. The police came from Hackensack and all the surrounding towns and joined in, along with 100 or more citizens. Excitement ran high and it was plain to the police that if the man was run down he would be put to death.

In an effort to identify the burglar a search of his pockets was made. A receipt for two beds given him in Elizabeth was found. This leads to the belief that the dead man was a junk dealer in Elizabeth, and the Elizabeth police were asked to keep a lookout for another junk dealer who is believed to have been the second burglar.

Cassidy was twenty-seven years old and had a young wife and one child. He had been on the Lyndhurst force for about a year and was regarded as a fearless and efficient officer.

DROWNED BOY'S BODY FOUND. Picked Up This Afternoon in Gravesend Bay.

Capt. George Finnegan, of the tugboat Coney Island, steaming through Gravesend Bay this afternoon saw a body floating in the water off the foot of Eighty-fourth street.

It proved to be the corpse of a boy who had been in life about six months old. Five feet four inches in height, with brown hair, the body was inflated a white undergarment was turned over to the police of Bath Beach.

CHOLERA DEATH IN YOKOHAMA. YOKOHAMA, Sept. 2.—The first fatal case of cholera in this port has been reported. The victim was the Japanese supercargo of the steamer Takasago.

The steamer was supposed to have contracted the disease at one of the ports of call between here and Newchuan.

Passengers were landed before the case was discovered and search is now being made for them. The vessel and crew have been quarantined.

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## Royal Visitor From Sweden Sees How an Alarm of Fire Is Sent Out



PRINCE WILHELM WATCHING AN ALARM COMING IN.

## ELLIOTT SHEPARD HURLED IN RIVER RACING HIS AUTO

Machine Leaps Bridge During Race in Italy and American Saved by Spectators.

BRESCIA, Italy, Sept. 2.—Elliott F. Shepard of New York, while speeding over the fifth circuit in the automobile race here to-day plunged into the river at Monte Chiari, broke his collarbone and was otherwise injured.

Mr. Shepard's chauffeur, Ledmann, had his face cut and bruised.

While Mr. Shepard was driving rapidly over the bridge spanning the Chiari river a tire of his machine slipped, the car lurched, bounded into the air, jumped over the bridge railing and shot down five yards into the river.

Shepard and Ledmann were rescued by people in the vicinity and were taken to the hospital at Monte Chiari. Their condition is not considered to be serious.

Mr. Shepard, who was the only American participant in the contest, was the first to complete the first circuit of the course, his time being 32 minutes 33 seconds for 99.4 kilometers.

He was second on the completion of the second circuit and third at the end of the third circuit, after which, casing Fairy, the Italian driver, Shepard regained second position.

On the fourth circuit Shepard was struggling alone in fifth place, when the accident occurred.

The Baron de Martino was killed on the same course by the overturning of his auto in the race for the Florio Cup yesterday.

The Marquis Pallavicino and Sig. Malvano, an eminent lawyer of Rome, also met death while on the way to the races Saturday night, by a train smashing their automobile.

Cagno, driving an Italian automobile, won the grand prize, a gold cup valued at \$5,000. In the speed race here to-day, the distance being 496 kilometers, time 4 hours 37 minutes and 36 seconds. Fourteen cars participated in the contest.

Cagno averaged over 105 kilometers per hour. He was among the last of the contestants in the early stages of the race, but put on a burst of terrific speed in the fifth circuit, took the lead in the sixth and held it until the finish.

Victor Demogot, France, was second in 4 hours, 40 minutes 55 seconds. Rougier, France, was third, 4 hours 45 minutes 31 seconds.

Elliott Fitch Shepard is a son of the late Col. Elliott F. Shepard, of New York, and a grandson of the late William H. Vanderbilt. He is well known in automobile circles, having competed in a number of important events. He had the misfortune to run over and kill a girl of twelve at St. Quen, France, in 1905, for which he was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. To pay a fine and to \$10,000 damages on the ground that the girl was a breadwinner. He was pardoned after serving nine days in a French prison.

On Oct. 6, 1905, while Mr. Shepard was competing in the third annual Vanderbilt Cup race over the Nassau County Circuit, Long Island, he ran down and killed a spectator who had wandered out on the course, near Krug's Corner.

Mr. Shepard finished ninth in July last in the race for the French Grand Prix.

Police Lieutenant Robbed in Saloon? Brady Arrests Two Women for Whom He "Bought" After Cashing Check.

Two women, giving the names of Margaret Dwyer and Stella Mink, were taken to the Tenderloin station and committed on a charge of grand larceny following the loss of \$150.30 by Lieut. Dennis Brady, of the police department.

It was his night off Saturday and he had his August pay check for \$104. He and Harry Smith, an old friend, stepped into a saloon at Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue, and after a social glass the lieutenant found he had no change and had the check cashed.

Two young women saw him and asked him to buy a drink. He did, and a short time later, while on the Ninth avenue "L," he missed his coat. He went back and learned the address of the women at the saloon and waited until early Sunday morning for them, but when taken to the station and searched none of the money was found.

CHIMES RING OUT FOR DEAN M'NULTY. "Home, Sweet Home" on Church Bells Tells Pater-son of Priest's Return.

PATERSON, N. J., Sept. 2.—Dean McNulty, pastor of St. John's Roman Catholic Church, was welcomed to this city yesterday after two months' absence in Europe, the chimes in the church tower playing "Home, Sweet Home," being the signal of his arrival to hundreds who flocked to the rectory to greet him. All crowds were in glad to be back again to his flock.

Dean McNulty went to Ireland about two months ago to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood at Cashel, Ireland, the place of his birth. Then he made a tour of Ireland.

A committee met the Dean at the steamship pier in New York and escorted him to this city. The Dean said he never felt better in his life and was glad to be back again to his flock.

He added that the clergy was very active over there and were doing great work in settling the disputes between landlords and tenants, and in speaking of the future of Ireland he said: "With such active clergy and laity there is every reason to look to a brighter future for Ireland."

## SCARED GUESTS AT THE HOTEL KNICKERBOCKER

Brother of Atlanta's Chief of Police Arrested for Creating a Disturbance.

Edward English, a brother of the Chief of Police of Atlanta, Ga., was to-day committed to Police Headquarters by Magistrate Harris in the Jefferson Market Court. The young man, whose family connections are the best, had created a wild scene in the Knickerbocker Hotel late Saturday night and was arrested charged with disorderly conduct.

English was brought to New York several days ago for medical treatment. On Saturday morning English disappeared from a "cure-habit" place and went to the York Hotel at Seventh avenue and Thirty-sixth street.

Haggard and wild-eyed, English staggered into the Knickerbocker Hotel, Forty-second street and Broadway, first entering the office of Manager James B. Regan, where he frightened Mr. Regan. The young man then raced through the corridors, making loud cries. He was captured on the fifth floor by Hotel Detective James P. Reilly.

Two cases of cocaine poisoning were heard in the West Side Court, the saddest being Morris Healy, aged sixteen years, who was brought before Magistrate Bernbach by the mother, Mrs. Catherine Healy, of No. 28 West Thirty-seventh street. The boy acquired the habit a year ago upon the recommendation of a schoolmate.

There was a cocaine man who used to peddle it up Amsterdam avenue," said the boy, "and nearly all of the boys I ran with became customers of this man and are now worse off even than I. The Healy boy was remanded for forty-eight hours, as he was too much under the influence of the drug to be removed to a reformatory."

Bernard Mulroy, middle-aged and poorly clad, shudding like a leaf, was found unconscious on the North River front at the foot of Fifth street by Police Officer McNeill. The Magistrate gave him six months in the Workhouse.

STARVING WITH \$10.50. Richard Reynolds, a young Swedish blacksmith, came from Waterbury, N. Y., a few days ago to see Prince Wilhelm. Running out of money, he sent home for some and received yesterday a money order for \$10.50.

He had eaten nothing since last Friday, so he tried to get the order cashed, but failed. Nearly insane he searched the last night for Police Officer Harry Smith at the Brooklyn restaurant, where Reynolds ate so ravenously that it was feared he would choke to death. He was sent to a Swedish home on State street.

BODY OF VICTIM DROWNED FROM MOTOR-BOAT FOUND. OSSING, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The body of Max Schomberg, twenty-three years old, of No. 23 East Twelfth street, New York city, who was drowned on Thursday last off Scarborough, was found to-day.

On Thursday last a party of young men left New York for a trip to the river in a small power boat. When near Nyack the boat was overtaken by a larger boat and the men were thrown in the water. All could swim and each devoted his efforts to saving himself. When they reached shore Schomberg was missing and a search was begun for him, but he could not be found. It is supposed he was seized with cramps and sank before he could utter a cry.

CAPUCHAN HEAD DEAD. PITTSBURGH, Sept. 2.—The Rev. Father Hyacinth Epp, for many years head of the Capuchin order in America, died yesterday at the Alphonse Monastery at Wheeling, W. Va. He was seventy-one years old.

MAN MANGLED BY CARS MAY BE MURDER VICTIM. (Special to The Evening World.) WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Sept. 2.—The police have a mystery in the death of Edward Dowd, thirty years of age, whose body was found early to-day out in two on the tracks of the Tarrytown and White Plains trolley line between the Bloomingdale Asylum switch and the main gateway of Howlandville country estate.

The body had been run over by at least four cars, and as very little blood was found on the tracks, Dowd's friends believe he was murdered some distance away and his body placed on the railroad to make the crime look like an accident.

Coroner Squires is making a rigid investigation. Dowd had very little money with him and there was no reason for killing him unless he got into a quarrel with some one. There is a wound over the right eye which looks as though it had been made by the blow of a club.

One of the strange features of the case is the fact that not a single model reported to Sept. 1, 1907, of the trolley company, that a man had been run over during the night, and it was morning before Motorman Farris running to Mamaroneck discovered the body. Dowd was employed in local livery stable and was a harmless fellow.

FLYING FROM PEST SHIP. POT-ARTHUR, Tex., Sept. 2.—Two sailors have escaped from the steamer Nordhavot, which State Health Officer Brumby quarantined at Sabine Pass a week or more ago with three cases of yellow fever from Vera Cruz on board. Search is being made for the fugitives.

"MARTHA" WELL DONE. Plotow's Famous Opera Greeted by Appreciative Audience.

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Pauline Perry, pretty and pliant, son-in-law of a good Nancy, George Tallman as Lionel and an excellent medium register, but lacked stage presence. William Shuter as Plunkett, Louis Casavant as Sir Tristram and William Welch as the Sheriff were good, and the chorus was spirited if not lovely.

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